

INposition® 8.0.0

Release Notes

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1. What's New

INposition 8.0 is now compatible with latest systems and applications:

- QuarkXPress 8.0x
- Adobe® InDesign® CS4
- Adobe® Acrobat® 9.0 and PDF 1.7
- Mac OS® X.5 (Leopard)

INposition 8.0 runs natively on both Intel® and PowerPC-based Mac processors (Universal Binary). Users can thus benefit from increased performance.

2. Requirements

Software

- QuarkXPress™ 8.x for Macintosh® System

System

- G5 PowerPC® processor or Intel® processor (G4 minimum)
- Mac OS X 10.4 (Tiger) or Mac OS X 10.5 (Leopard)
- 1 GB RAM (256 MB minimum)
- 1 GB hard disk space (including QuarkXPress™)
- CD-ROM drive
- PostScript® output device

3. Installation

Installation steps

- Start up the computer in OS X system. Run the installer. The workstation administrator's password will be required.
- INposition and INposition sub-folders will be installed in "Applications:QuarkXPress 8.x:XTension".
- Launch QuarkXPress 8.x
- Enter your activation code in INposition > Activation menu.

An INposition USB dongle is required. Older INposition ADB dongles are not supported in OS X environment. Please contact sales@dynagram.com for information about an ADB to USB dongle exchange.

Important Note for Installation:

- INposition 8.0 is compatible with QuarkXPress 8.0x
- INposition 7.3 is compatible with QuarkXPress 7.2+ (but not compatible with QuarkXPress 8)
- INposition 7.0.x is compatible with QuarkXPress 7.0x
- INposition 6.x is compatible with QuarkXPress 6.0 only

Publication Styles and Plate Styles from previous INposition versions can be imported in current version. For instructions about exporting/importing Plate Styles and Publication Styles, refer to sections 4.2 and 5.2 of the User Manual.

4. OS X Users and Network Issues

Macintosh OS X environment allows for multiple Users and profiles, and offers different ways to connect to servers. Please take into account the following issues before installing and using INposition:

- Administrator's rights are required to install INposition on a workstation.
- Users must have complete Read and Write accesses for all INposition folders. To avoid sharing problems, QuarkXPress and INposition should be installed in the Applications folder (the Installer's default). INposition jobs must also be created in shared folders.
- When using INposition over a cross-platform network, you must use AFP file services (Apple Filing Protocol) instead of SMB file services (Server Message Block, Windows file sharing). Windows NT4, 2000 or XP server shares can be configured to work with AFP.

5. Conflict Using Two Rainbow Dongles in OS X and Classic Modes

Problem: If you install INposition 8.0 on OS X on the same workstation as another Rainbow-protected Classic application (such as older versions of INposition®, DynaStrip® or QuarkXPress™ Passport) you will experience a dongle conflict.

Reason: During INposition installation on OS X, the patch file "RNBOClassicNotSeizeDriver.kext" is placed in the "System:Library:Extensions" folder. This file forces the Rainbow to stay in OS X mode when the OS 9 Classic mode is activated by another application. Otherwise, the INposition dongle would stop being recognized and the work session would be interrupted.

This file conflicts with the other (or the same) Rainbow dongle running on OS 9.

Solution: To continue operating both applications on the same workstation (INposition on OS X plus another Rainbow-protected Classic application on OS 9), you should remove the patch file from the "System:Library:Extensions" folder and use only one application at a time.

To do so, you can run the "DongleDriver_Non_Exclusive" installation provided with INposition 8.0.

You can also remove the patch file manually.

In OS X, the Extensions folder is locked and needs Administrator's rights. You may freely access this folder in OS 9 environment, or use the following procedure to change access rights.

- Select the "System:Library:Extensions" folder and do "Get Info" (Command + i).
- In "Ownership & Permissions", click on the padlock icon.
- In the "Owner" drop down menu, select your name instead of "system".
- Enter your usual network password. You now have the access right to the "Extensions" folder.
- Remove the "RNBOClassicNotSeizeDriver.kext" from the folder.
- In the "Extensions Info" dialog box, change back the "Owner" name to "system".
- Click on the padlock and close the dialog.
- You must restart the computer to activate new settings.

Always ensure that the Classic environment is closed when starting INposition. Classic mode is started when launching a Classic application, but closing the application will not stop the Classic mode. You can quit Classic environment with a utility program available in "System Preferences" (icon in the Dock).

6. Known Issues and Fixes

- 2721 The output of INposition PostScript files containing more than 56 plates gave a PostScript error within QuarkXPress 7.3. This problem was fixed in QuarkXPress 8.01.
- 4346 On Mac PowerPC computers, or when QuarkXPress is opened using Rosetta emulator on Mac Intel computers, the placement of Dynamic Marks in the Plate Style dialog doesn't work correctly if the Overprint pages option is not selected.
- 4354 Tempus PostScript filter plug-in does not recognize EPS pages imported in the Publication when QuarkXPress runs in UB mode.
- The User Manual has been updated to v.8 in English and French languages only.